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The Honorable Andrew L. Carter United States District Judge Southern District of New York 40 Centre Street New York, New York 10007

Re:

United States v. Henry Fermin

18 Cr. 65% (ALC)

Dear Judge Carter:

The above-referenced matter was transferred to your Honor following the sad and untimely passing of the Honorable Deborah A. Batts.

This letter is respectfully submitted to request that Mr. Fermin's sentencing be further adjourned until a date and time convenient to your Honor in January 2021. Counsel makes this request in the hopes that the courthouse will be back in action by then, so that Mr. Fermin can be present in court for his sentencing. Counsel believes the position that in-person sentencings best serve all parties and the ends of justice; here, it seems particularly appropriate given that your Honor has yet to meet Mr. Fermin.

The Court's attention to this request is appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/

Susan G. Kellman

cc: Andrew Chan, Esq.

Asst. United States Attorney

The application is granted. Sentencing adjourned to 2-25-21 at 10 a.m.

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